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TRANSMITTAL FOR A NEWLY EXECUTED ORIGINAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for:

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For: EMBEDDING RESIN

l.	This is a new [X	Utility	[]Design [Plant patent	application.

- 2. The papers enclosed to obtain a filing date are as follows:
 - 33 Pages of Specification including
 - 1 Title Page
 - 2 Pages of Claims
 - 1 Page of Abstract
 - 9 Sheets of drawings containing <u>25</u> figures
 - [] The enclosed drawings are photographs, and there is also attached a PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S)
- 3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
 - [] Enclosed and is executed by all inventors
 - [X] Not Enclosed.

This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees.

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4.	Language					
	[X] []	of the MP	cation is being fi EP. Applicant(s)	await notifica	nce with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(d) and §608.03 ation from the Patent and Trademark ed English translation and the processing	
5.	Assignment					
	[] An assignment of the invention to and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, are enclosed.					
	[X] An assignment will be filed at a later date.				c .	
6.	6. Priority - foreign applications under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) or PCT international applications under 35 U.S.C. §365(a) designating at least one country other than the U.S. [X] Priority of the following foreign application are claimed:					
					Filed	
<u> </u>	Japan		2001-352511		November 19, 2001	
	Japan		2001-40226		February 16, 2001	
	Japan		2000-398872		December 27, 2000	
Certified copies: [] is attached. [X] will follow. 7. Priority based on provisional application(s) - 35 U.S.C. §119(e) [] Priority of the following provisional application(s) is claimed:						
	Application No.				Filed	
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8. Small entity status

[] A statement claiming small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 is asserted for the present application.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$740.00 Design \$330.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	6 - 20 =		18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1 - 3 =		84.00	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d))			280.00	
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10. Fee Payment

[X] Not Enclosed. NO FEE IS BEING PAID BY CHECK OR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AT THIS TIME.

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[] Enclosed.
A check in the amount of \$____ representing the basic filing fee of \$740.00 and an assignment recording fee of \$40.00 is enclosed.

11. [X] Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

12.	Additional	papers	enc	losed	:

Ĺj	Preliminary Amendment		
[]	Information Disclosure Statement		
[]	Form PTO-1449, document included		
[]	Declaration of Biological Deposit		
[]	Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino		
	acid sequence.		

Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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